

REMARKS / DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

The present amendment to the specification addresses the issues presented in the Notice of July 10, 2007. Specifically, a brief description of Fig. 9 is provided. No new matter is added.

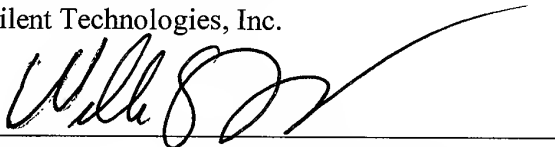
Conclusion

In view the foregoing, applicant(s) respectfully request(s) that the Examiner withdraw the objection(s) and/or rejection(s) of record, allow all the pending claims, and find the application in condition for allowance.

If any points remain in issue that may best be resolved through a personal or telephonic interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of:

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